DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.		*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	Not received.	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...		
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are still going on and lands are being got ready for sowing.

Seeds sown.—Punaji paddy in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur and Nelamangala; muradi paddy and haraka in parts of Channapatna; til in parts of Nelamangala and Dodballapur and cholam in parts of Nelamangala and kaki jolam in parts of Dodballapur Taluk.

Standing crops.—The sugar-cane crop is generally good in all the taluks; Vaisakhi paddy, Nata ragi and til in the Hoskote Taluk are in a fair condition; cholam and til in Nelamangala, Magadi and Channapatna are in good condition; punaji paddy, til and groundnut in Anekal and mulberry in Closepet are also in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

Estimated outturn.—4 to 6 annas.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Food stuffs are available, but at high prices. Cooly classes find labour.

11. Except for cholera in the towns of Devanhalli and Vadigenhalli and in the village of Avati and plague in Sarjapur and small-pox in parts of all the taluks, except Dodballapur, Kankanhalli and Devanhalli, the public health is generally good. Two cases of cholera occurred in the town of Dodballapur. Ordinary fevers prevail in parts of Anekal Taluk and in the town of Hoskote.

12. Except for Dodroga in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Devanhalli, and Closepet Taluks, the cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—*Ragi* in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; *paddy* in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet and Malur Taluks; *same* and *sajje* in parts of the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks; *avare* and *togari* in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—*Vaisakhi paddy* in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing Crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy and gidragi are fair, but are in urgent need of rains.

Agricultural operations.—Ploughing of dry lands and transplanting of gidragi are in progress.

Distress.—Not reported from any place.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains, stationary. Labour available for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for *cholera* in the Kolar Town and in a few places of the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Goribidnur and Sidlaghatta Taluks and *small-pox* in Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks.

12. Except for *rinderpest* in a few places of the Bowringpet, Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Pasture available at present. Fodder not sufficient. Water available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks; jola in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; groundnuts in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks, and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; ragi in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; navane in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri and Sira Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; castor in parts of Maddagiri, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; haraka in parts of Sira and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; dhal in parts of Maddagiri and Sira Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; yield 4 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola, haraka, ragi, kulthi, black and green grams, navane, haraka, til, groundnut and chillies are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prespect of the season are reported to be fair. Markets are fairly well supplied.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and ague and fever in parts of Tiptur Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for Rinderpest in parts of Gubbi Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied, but prices continue to be high.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and kept ready for sowing ragi in Chamrajnagar Taluk and hine ragi in Nagamangala Taluk.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—The standing crops are jola, ragi, togari, til, castor, cotton, sugar-cane, mulberry, tadagani, black gram, paddy, oil-seeds, avare, dodda paddy, halasandi, kar paddy, gidda ragi, and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Black and green grains in Seringapatam Taluk; sugar-cane in Gundlupet (8 annas) Taluk; and kar paddy in Nagamangala Taluk.

Damages to crops.—No damage it is reported to have been done to crops by insects during the week.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Plague is reported to be prevalent in the taluks of Mysore and Hunsur; cholera in the taluks of Hunsur, Yedatore and Krishnarajpete and small-pox in the taluks of—Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Malvalli and Krishnarajapete.

12. Except for 'Dodroga' in the taluks of Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Malvalli, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water is available. Except in the Harve Hobli of Chamrajnagar Taluk, fodder is available all over the district.

HASSAN.

8. Market is fairly supplied except in Belur shandy, where the supply was insufficient.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi, paddy and togari in Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; til in Belur, Arsikere and Arkalgud Taluks; cotton in Belur Taluk are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops sown—Ragi and paddy in Hassan and Manjarabad Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane and kar paddy are being harvested in the Arsikere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. No unusual movements of either men or cattle have been reported anywhere.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in Manjarabad, Belur, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk. Cholera in Arkalgud, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and plague in the Arkalgud town.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in all the taluks.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli; ragi and jola in parts of Channagiri and Honnali; black and green grams and til in Honnali and cotton in Channagiri are being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in parts of all the taluks and the newly planted paddy in parts of Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli and areca in Tirthahalli are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Tenigar and kar paddy is being harvested in parts of Sagar Taluk.

10. Prices of food stuffs continue to be high.

11. Except for plague in three villages of Shikarpur Taluk, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available in moderate quantities.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in all parts of the district.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur, Kadur, Mudgere and Koppa Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—paddy, Kadur Taluk—cholum, til, green gram, black gram and castor.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur and Koppa Taluks—paddy; Chikmagalur Taluk—ragi, thingalavare; Koppa Taluk—kode paddy; Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Kadur and Koppa Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane; Kadur Taluk—kar paddy; Chikmagalur, Kadur, Mudgere, Tarikere and Koppa Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—coffee.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Kadur—sugar-cane and kar paddy, estimated yield 8 annas; Chikmagalur—paddy, estimated yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but their prices continue to be high. Burma rice is being sold in the Government Depots.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox and ague in parts of Mudgere, Chikmagalur and Koppa Taluks and Dysentery in parts of Koppa Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets well supplied in the taluks of Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur, Molakalmuru, and Jagalur and moderately supplied in others.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola, groundnut, cotton, til, castor, togari are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Jola, castor, cotton, togari, ragi, black gram, til, navane and sajje, in the Chitaldrug Taluk; horse gram, castor, sajje, til, togari, ragi and mungar jola in the Challakere Taluk; jola, til, castor, togari, black gram, green gram and halasandi in the Hiriyur Taluk; jola, togari, avare, til, sajje, cotton, green gram, black gram, castor and paddy in the Holalkere Taluk; cotton, til and green gram in the Davangere Taluk; horse gram castor, sajje and jola, in the Molakalmuru Taluk; jola, cotton, til, togari, castor in the Jagalur Taluk; groundnut, jola, togari and til in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas); Challakere Taluk (yield 6 to 8 annas); Hiriyur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; Molakalmuru Taluk (yield 8 annas); paddy and sugar-cane in the Hosdurga Taluk, (yield 12 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are encouraging, Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good except for small-pox in parts of the Chitaldrug Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Galali roga is prevailing in the village of Anagode of the Davangere Taluk. Water is available. Supply of fodder was getting scarce but the recent rains are expected to improve the situation.

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